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JOYFUL CROWD

Was That at the Celebration of
Division 4 Last Monday
Evening.

The Most Pleading Affair Given
at Lion Garden Thus Far
This Season.

Irish Lads and Lasses Present
In Numbers from All Over
the City.

A SOCIAL AND FINANCIAL SUCCESS

One of the best picnics ever given in this city was that given by Division 4 of the Ancient Order of Hibernians at Lion Garden Monday evening. That the division composed of the Limerick men is most popular is best evidenced by the fact of the large attendance present, which embraced many of Louisville's representative business men and prominent officials as well as members and officers from the other divisions in this city and across the river.

The crowd began to arrive at an early hour, and car after car was unloaded until it seemed that for once all the Hibernians and their friends had been gotten together for a merry time. In the park Prof. Moriach's band discoursed patriotic American and Irish airs, several of which elicited much applause. The melody of popular Irish airs had a decided effect upon the old people, many of whom could hardly restrain themselves from taking advantage of the opportunity to once again enjoy an old-fashioned reel or breakdown. The dancing hall was taxed to its utmost to accommodate the handsome lads and lasses anxious to trip the light fantastic to the strains of Tom Scully's orchestra, which presented a most animated scene and was witnessed by large numbers of spectators.

President John Hennessy, Harry Brady, William Ambros, Joe Lynch and Tom Kelly discarded their coats early in the evening and went to work with a will to see that all were looked after, and they were ably assisted by the entire membership. The Entertainment Committee exerted itself and to its efforts is due much credit for the social and financial success of the affair.

EMERALDS.

Limerick forever.
John Conway, the well-known brick manufacturer, was continually surrounded by a host of friends and admirers. He is of the class of men Hibernians pin their faith to, and always with good results. Whatever he wants they will give him.

President William Reilly headed the Jeffersonville delegation, among whom were Will Shea, John Kenney, William Garrity, Con O'Neill, John Breen, Dan Gleason, Edward Tracy and Mike Garrity. The Hoosier Hibernians are placing their Louisville brethren under many obligations.

What a pretty scene the dancing hall presented. Tom Langan, Joe Lynch and Terence McHugh declared it was fairy-land.

James Wolfe, the popular Eighth-street grocer, was one of the many who helped to make the picnic a success. He takes a lively interest in all the undertakings of the Limerick boys. Ask Hennessy if this is not so.

President Hennessy, Treasurer Brady, John Grogan, George Flahiff and Tom Kelly were generous in their treatment of the representative of the Kentucky Irish American. They have several coming.

Col. John E. Brown, of Twelfth and Zane, was among the live ones, and wherever he went there was mirth and good cheer also, which always drew extra benches to the table he presided over.

John Barrett and Tom Keenan were there. They acknowledged the hustling abilities of Division 4, and learned several good points to report to their divisions.

Joe Taylor headed quite a juvenile delegation, who were delighted with his liberality. He was as much interested as were the members of the division.

County President Murphy and Secretary John Cavanaugh were the heroes of the bowling alley.

Will Delaney and Edward Dalton were late in arriving, but they succeeded in filling the places of those who had departed. Both met with a hearty reception.

When Capt. Joe Breen arrived at the garden there was a rush to get a look at the man who would lead the Knights to Boston. Did you notice with what alacrity they responded to his command? They knew his commissary was all right.

Rick Quinn came to the front, as he always does, but one could notice he felt the absence of jovial Mike Sweeney and Capt. James Hendricks.

Capt. Mike Lawler was the representative of the Irish-American Society, of which many members were present.

Capt. Mike Cassin, of the fire department, Deputy Sheriff Denny Heffernan, Charles Gorman and Jack O'Connor composed a coterie that had a good time. They made it a point to entertain all whom they met, and the number was large.

Officers John J. Beirne and Peter Muloney, two of the most popular men on the force, were there for the purpose of preserving order. There was no occasion

for their services, and they were compelled to join the throng in having a good time.

Denny Coleman and James Barry ably represented their divisions. Some can not understand their trip out south of Lion Garden. May be it was 40 met the incoming car.

There was a better representation from the other divisions than at any preceding picnic, and the crowd surpassed that of the Fourth of July.

COUNTY BOARD.

Important Session Wednesday—Its Policy for the Coming Year.

Hibernian Hall will Wednesday evening be the scene of the most important meeting held this summer by the County Board of the Ancient Order of Hibernians. This was to be the meeting night of Division 3, which generously invited the officers and members of the County Board to occupy the hall that evening.

With the annual election and installation in the various divisions occurs a number of changes in the personnel of the county body. Following the admission of the new members will come the annual election of officers, and for this and

other reasons every representative should be present.
County President John A. Murphy is expected to outline the policy to be followed during the coming year and make recommendations that will, if carried out, greatly assist in increasing the membership of the order in this city and county. The yearly reports of the officers will be submitted and also complete returns from the Fourth of July celebration.

Besides the foregoing, matters of interest to both members and divisions will come before the body for action. The County Board as now constituted is one of the most able and representative in the history of the order, and a lively year may be looked for in Hibernian circles.

ROUGH RIDERS

Will Give a Silk Banner to the Body Turning Out the Largest Number.

The Rough Riders have issued invitations to the various military, uniform rank and fraternal organizations of this city to take part in their parade on Monday, August 7, preceding the opening of the entertainment and Wild West Show at Fountain Park. Besides the foregoing, the parade will consist of the metropolitan police, Rough Riders, cowboys, Indians, floats and trades procession, representing the business houses and all local enterprises.

The Hibernian Knights met Saturday night at the home of Capt. Joe Breen for the purpose of acting upon the invitation to turn out. A handsome silk banner will be presented to the body having the largest percentage of its members in line, and the friends of Company A hope to see them declared the winners. The company will be represented by Messrs. Joe Taylor, Con. Hallahan, A. J. Campbell, Jerry Hallahan, M. Riley and Capt. Joe Breen.

THEY WILL TRY AGAIN.

Messrs. Tom Finnegan and Michael Joseph McLane, of the Louisville & Nashville, were sadly disappointed last Friday evening, the heavy rain preventing them and their respective lady friends from taking a trip up the river with the Aquinas Unit in the interest of astronomy. However, not to be outdone, they held a consultation on the river bank, during which Finnegan gave a short talk on "How I Fixed the Tonnage," and on own Michael Joseph recited one of his original poems, entitled "The Car I Didn't Seal." The ladies brought the meeting to a close by suggesting that they adjourn until the postponed date of the excursion, August 18, when they will resume their lesson in "astronomy."

EXCITEMENT

Caused in Political Circles by the Candidacy of John Young Brown.

Will Be Nominated by the Convention Called to Meet at Lexington.

Senator Joe Blackburn Made Chairman of the Campaign Committee.

THE SITUATION VERY COMPLICATED

The sensation of the past week in political circles was the announcement made by ex-Gov. John Young Brown that he would accept the nomination of the convention of Democrats called to meet at Lexington and make the supreme struggle of his life to be elected, which

caused great excitement from one end of the State to the other.

That this step upon the part of the Governor will greatly complicate matters there can be no doubt. He is popular and has a large following in all parts of the State, the only charge ever brought against him being that he was at times somewhat peevish or cross, but his integrity and honesty are known and admitted by every man in Kentucky.

There are few, if any, able men in the State, and the record he made while occupying the Executive chair at Frankfort gives him an added prestige. There is no doubt in the minds of the thinking people of his receiving a large vote. Should the Republicans lead their differences the outlook for the success of their ticket is very favorable, and from present indications they are making every effort to line up that party in solid phalanx.

During the week the press dispatches contain reports of meetings being held in various parts of the State calling for the nomination of a new ticket and the withdrawal of Senator Goebel, which are given great prominence in the anti-Goebel papers. On the other hand, news comes of large and enthusiastic meetings endorsing the Democratic ticket now in the field, with the assurance that there is no disaffection in the ranks of the party, and that the meetings of the opposition are absolute fizzes. They take a very sanguine view of the situation. These reports are all colored to conform with the policy of the papers publishing them.

A telegram was received Thursday afternoon by Major Callaway from Major Johnston, of Lexington, late Chairman of the State Committee, announcing his willingness to accept the nomination for Lieutenant Governor on the ticket with John Young Brown. Many prominent men are mentioned for other places on the ticket, among them Harvey Myers, June Gayle, William Owens, Col. Breckinridge and C. W. Metcalfe.

There was a meeting of the newly-elected Democratic State Central Committee and a number of candidates at Frankfort Tuesday, at which it was decided to appoint a campaign committee consisting of two from each Congressional district and three from the State at large. Ex-Senator Joe Blackburn was selected as Chairman and accepted the place. The other two members on the committee from the State at large are Hon. John D. Clardy and ex-Gov. James B. McCreary. The two names from each Congressional district were to be announced in a few days following.

It has been stated that the campaign will be a lively one from opening to finish, and that it will be opened within two weeks by Senator Blackburn and Mr.

Goebel, who will make speeches at Mayfield or some large town in the First district.

The Republican State Central Committee held a session at the Louisville Hotel Tuesday afternoon, while the Democrats were meeting in Frankfort. They named State Treasurer George W. Long as Chairman of their campaign committee, with James F. Buckner, of this city, and Congressman Sam Pugh as the other two members from the State at large. R. L. Gwathmey will represent the Fifth district on the committee. All of the Republican candidates were present, Attorney General Taylor delivered the principal address to the committee, which adjourned after a short but harmonious session.

The State convention of the Populists met at Frankfort Thursday, delegates being present from all the districts. They think this is their opportunity and feel confident of success.

The political stream is muddy, and when it will clear up no one can tell. The Kentucky Irish American will endeavor to furnish its readers with a reliable synopsis of the situation from week to week, without dictating what course they should pursue, something not done by any other paper in Louisville.

FATHER BARRON'S DEATH

Cut Off in the Prime of Life. His Funeral the Largest in Years.

Deep regret was caused throughout Ireland by the death of the Rev. Michael Barron, administrator of St. John's Cathedral, Waterford. Father Barron was a native of Knockeen, County Waterford, and was educated at St. John's College. The first years of his priesthood were spent in New-castle-on-Tyne and West Hartlepool, where he labored with unselfish devotion. He returned after seven years of hard work, and was subsequently appointed to his late position. In the city he was held in deep regard, and beloved for his generous disposition and for the zeal with which he attended to his sacred duties. Cut off in the prime of life his death has naturally caused a great shock not alone to his parishioners but to the whole Catholic community.

The funeral of the dead prelate took place from the Cathedral on Saturday. Previous to removing the body to its last resting place office and high mass was offered. The clergy who officiated were Rev. Father Fitzgerald, celebrant; Father Galvin, deacon; Father Norris, sub-deacon, and Fathers Furlong and O'Connell, chanters. The Right Rev. Dr. Sheehan, Bishop of Waterford, presided. The cortege was the largest and most imposing seen in Waterford for many years. After the hearse followed 165 carriages, in which were all the leading citizens of Waterford and many members of the Corporation, while immediately after the hearse walked sixty-four priests. Several carriages were filled with wreaths.

RETURNED OFFICIALS.

Chief of Detectives William Sullivan returned home Monday from a week's visit to Chicago, where he was the guest of Capt. Collier, who is at the head of the detective bureau of that city. Chief Sullivan has rapidly come to the front, and today has the respect and confidence of the most prominent police officials in the country. He has brought his force to a high standard, which accounts for the wide berth given Louisville by the criminal classes.

Billy Bosler, the popular Bailiff of the City Court, also returned Monday from French Lick Springs, greatly benefited by the visit. While there he distinguished himself as a fire fighter. He was the chief actor in the suppression of a conflagration at one of the social functions of the week, and the way in which he handled his forces won for him praises that would have made the veteran Major Hughes jealous had it occurred here.

FOURTH ANNUAL OUTING.

The fourth annual outing and picnic of the members of St. Patrick's congregation occurs Monday at Fern Grove, and with fair weather will be the largest yet given. The boats are announced to leave the foot of First street at 8:30 and 9:30 in the morning and at 1:30 and 2 o'clock in the afternoon. Those who wish to spend a really enjoyable day should not fail to go with the crowd Monday. The ladies of the congregation promise those who accompany them all the good things they can eat for twenty-five cents, and the committees have provided for amusements of various kinds including concert and dancing music, to which the two pavilions will be devoted. Returning the boats will leave to suit the convenience of all.

POSTPONED.

The moonlight excursion that was to have been given by the Columbia Club last Friday evening has been postponed to Friday, August 18. This action was made necessary by the inclement weather, but will only add to the interest and numbers who will enjoy the river ride with the Columbians.

LIVELY TIME AHEAD.

At the meeting of the Irish-American Society Thursday evening will be introduced the new ritual and initiation, which promises to furnish lots of fun and a lively time. Those members who have not been attending regularly ought to be present, as they will hear something of their interest.

KILLARNEY

And the Muckross Estate Purchased by A. G. Peck for \$185,000.

Lived in Lansingburg, N. Y. Was Popular and Highly Respected.

The Famous Abbey Has Stood the Storms of Five Hundred Years.

GOOD FOR ANOTHER CENTURY OR TWO

By Killarney's lakes and fells, Emerald isles and winding bays, Mountain path and woodland dells, Memory often fondly strays. Bonny nature loves all lands And beauty wanders everywhere, Footprints leave on many strands,

ton and Torc. This estate includes also about 20,000 acres in all, in which are the famous cascades known of O'Sullivan and Torc.

The famous Muckross abbey comprises the well preserved ruins of a monastery founded by Chief McCarthy for the Franciscan friars. It has braved the storms of 500 years, and except the roof, which fell a victim to the Cromwellians, it is to all appearances fit to endure the vicissitudes of another century or two.

Mr. Peck, who is reported to have made the purchase, formerly conducted two axe factories at Cohoes, living with his family at Lansingburg, where he was popular. He failed a few years ago, and was afterward reported living in Europe in fine style. He is now residing in London.

The axe factory is now being conducted by a son. The Peck family is highly respected and moves in the best circles.

But her home is surely there. Angels fold their wings and rest In that Eden of the West, Beauty's home, Killarney, Heaven's reflex, Killarney.

At last the Lakes of Killarney have fallen in the hands of a citizen of America, the second home of Ireland, says a special to the New York Journal.

A. G. Peck, of Cohoes Falls, N. Y., has bought the Muckross estates, on the Lakes of Killarney, about which there has been so much talk. The price paid was £37,000, approximately \$185,000, in the money which Mr. Peck made as a manufacturer of axes in this country.

Americans with a love for the Emerald Isle have of late shown a decided inclination to purchase these lovely and historic lakes.

First it was Howard Gould. He took his bride, who was Katherine Clemmons, to the "winding bays and woodland dells." She was entranced and asked for them for her millionaire husband.

But the sale was not made. Then it was Richard Croker, who, his triumphs thick upon him, also longed for them. He did not purchase them, however.

The fever for the possession of the Lakes of Killarney spread. It seized the blood of President James Coogan, of the Borough of Manhattan, and of John F. Carroll, vice boss of Tammany, and of Senator George W. Plunkitt. This syndicate concluded that it must have the lakes.

But lakes that have been sung and lauded that has been chronicled are not immune from the law of supply and demand. The price of the lakes steadily rose as Irish real estate agents heard that Irish-Americans were anxious to have them. The first price asked was \$150,000. The Standard Insurance Company, of Scotland, held a mortgage of \$100,000. It offered to accept a payment of \$50,000 and take a second mortgage for the remainder.

But while the Erin-loving Americans were hesitating, the price of Killarney was not; so Mr. Peck is considered lucky in getting them for \$185,000.

The Muckross estate is magnificent and beautiful. It includes the demesne and home farm, comprising about 400 acres of arable land and plantations, including Bricken and Diris islands and the old abbey in the grounds overlooking the lower lake.

There is besides the demesne of Lord Brandon, on the upper lake, with its fine residence, Glebe House; its cottages, deer forests and its thickly wooded plantations of Tounies, Purple Mountain and one part of Cabernabone and part of Manger.

FRANKFORT.

The Capital City Still Suffering From the Effects of the Smallpox Scare.

Death of Mrs. William Callery, a Highly Respected Christian Lady.

Remored That a Grand Shake-Up Will Soon Take Place at the Prison.

PERSONAL AND SOCIETY NEWS NOTES

[Special Correspondence of the Kentucky Irish American.]

FRANKFORT, Ky., July 28.—For the past three weeks the beautiful city among the hills has been almost isolated on account of the small-pox scare which has prevailed. Everything now indicates that the small-pox (if it was small-pox, which many doctors contend it was not) will shortly be completely eradicated from the city, and Frankfort, the queen city of Kentucky, will assume her habitual attractions for people from all over the country. Although not generally known, Frankfort boasts of a pleasure and health resort known as Coleman Springs. This resort has particular attractions for youthful couples on moonlight nights, and it is not an uncommon occurrence to hear wafted by the gentle breezes that pervade this vicinity on a summer night refrains from "Just Break the News to Mother" and "Good Bye, My Lover, Good Bye." It is also said that even when the beautiful trees on the surrounding hills are robbed of their verdure and bleak winter has settled over the country, the chilly blasts reminding one that it is anywhere from three to thirty-three degrees below zero, this historic place does not lose its attractions, as many who were in the vicinity on the morning of February 9 last will bear witness. Strangers visiting the city should insist upon being shown Coleman Springs before taking leave of Kentucky's capital.

Col. W. L. Cushing, who some time ago secured a position with the Louisville Packing Company, received a transfer card to Division 1, Ancient Order of Hibernians, of Louisville, where he will make his future home.

Mr. Tim Sullivan, of Louisville, well known in Frankfort, where he resided several years ago, spent Wednesday last in this city. He was kept busy shaking hands with his old-time friends.

Mr. James Cushing, of Louisville, spent Sunday at Coleman Springs, near this city. Jim became so infatuated with the Springs (?) that he had a narrow escape from missing his train.

Mr. Thomas Doyle, of Cincinnati, was in the city for a few days this week.

Mr. M. J. Doyle, of Louisville, spent several days of last week in this city visiting relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. John Sullivan, of Louisville, spent Wednesday in this city, coming here to attend the funeral of Mrs. William Callery.

Col. D. Joseph McNamara came over from Lexington and spent Sunday with friends and relatives.

Col. Martin O'Brien left last Monday for Seymour, Ind., where he has secured a position and will make his home for the future. His many friends in Frankfort, and particularly the members of the Ancient Order of Hibernians, regretted to see him go, while extending to him their best wishes for success in his new field.

Col. Charles McDonald, of St. Paul, Minn., spent a few days this week visiting his relatives, Mr. and Mrs. M. T. Sullivan and family, on Madison avenue. Col. McDonald holds a responsible position in a railroad office in St. Paul, and is spending his annual vacation in Kentucky and Tennessee.

Last Tuesday morning Mrs. William Callery died at the home of her niece, Mrs. Mike Doyle, on Logan street. Mrs. Callery was one of the oldest and best known residents of Frankfort, having resided here ever since she came to this country many years ago. She was a good Christian woman and numbered her friends by the hundreds. She was fortified by the rites of the church and passed peacefully away just at the break of dawn. Her funeral took place from the Church of the Good Shepherd Wednesday morning. May her soul rest in peace.

Mr. W. A. Luthmer leaves Sunday for a ten days' trip to Cincinnati, where he will spend his vacation.

It is unofficially rumored that a grand shake-up will take place at the local prison before long, when the heads of several "patients" will drop. Who the martyrs will be has not yet been made known, but many are now occupying the anxious bench.

Senator William Goebel, of Covington, candidate for Governor, spent Tuesday in this city. Since his departure the Populist delegates have been arriving in large numbers and now hold possession of the town.

SPECIAL MEETING.

An important special meeting of the Central Labor Union is called for Monday night at Beck's Hall. All delegates are urged to be present. The meeting will be called to order at 8 o'clock.



JOHN YOUNG BROWN.

The Ex-Governor Announces His Willingness to Run Against Goebel.



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AS TO ARBITRATION.

The success of arbitration, where accepted and observed in good faith, in preventing and settling labor troubles has made it popular, and it is always suggested and frequently resorted to in settling labor, business and national differences. In view of the serious outbreaks attending the street-car strikes in Cleveland and Brooklyn and miners' strikes in several States, none of which would have occurred had the employers agreed to arbitrate the issues with their employees, a bill for compulsory arbitration of all labor disputes is urged in New York and will likely be presented in other States when the Legislatures meet. Thus far the discussion is confined to the press, but the attitude of organized labor toward it will have much to do with its final disposition. The fact that organized labor has advocated and contended for arbitration for over a quarter of a century must not be considered as proof positive that organized labor will approve a general compulsory arbitration law; on the contrary, it will oppose such law, and not be inconsistent in so doing. Organized labor understands the labor question far better than any other class, even the employers, as is fully demonstrated by the fact that all the beneficial labor laws enacted were favored by organized labor, and the inefficient and injurious laws were opposed by it. The workmen know what they want, and frequently can tell the employer what is best for him.

If all questions were arbitrable and the interested parties willing, doubtless everything could be settled by arbitration. The essentials to successful arbitration are mutual consent, justice to concede the rights of others, and honesty to abide the decision. Where employers and employees will recognize and concede the just rights of each other they are generally honest enough to accept and faithfully carry out the decision, whatever it may be. They have only to be assured that the proposition to arbitrate is sincere and will be fairly conducted, and they agree. For them no compulsory law is necessary.

The employer who does not even recognize the legal right of his employee to have a voice as to hours of labor, wages, terms, conditions, or anything concerning his employment or treatment, and conducts his business in defiance of all these, and the law as well, will certainly not fail to evade any restrictions an arbitration board may place upon him. So with the workman who disregard the right of employers to property or any authority over their business, to fix rules or direct how their work shall be done, regulate their affairs, protect their plants and earn a profit, neither will he care for arbitration. In short, there are employers for whom only slaves can work, and there are workmen who can not be made to work except by a taskmaster. They detest each other, and neither would accept or obey any decision but his own.

To force arbitration on them would be a farce, and the results would not be such as to exemplify its merits, but rather tend to render it odious. Arbitration is intended for and will benefit intelligent and honest people, but law can not make some people either intelligent or honest. Education of employers as well as employees is needed before general arbitration can be enforced, and until then it should not be compulsory.

But there are instances where others than the employer and the employee interested are affected, inconvenienced, their business injured and property and lives endangered, as in the case of the street car strikes. In such cases the greatest sufferers are the public, and the public have rights which both employers and employees are bound to respect. Besides, these public utilities are owned and controlled by corporations chartered by the State, enjoy privileges, immunities and guarantees, for which they are to give the public certain prescribed services, in which they are specially protected from interference, and the public should certainly not be deprived of such services, have their lives and property threatened, and the peace and safety of the entire community put in jeopardy, when it could all be prevented if one or two officials of these chartered corporations had agreed to arbitrate differences with their employees. Those corporations are entitled to privileges only by consent of the State, and while the State should protect them in their enjoyment, the State also owes to its people to compel those corporations to furnish the public the specified services and respect the peace, safety and rights of the community. The State, the grantor of the charter, certainly has the right, and it is its duty, to require the settlement of all matters affecting the corporation by arbitration, or in some way that will not deprive the public of the services to which it is entitled, disturb the peace, interrupt the business and endanger the lives and property of the entire community.

Such a law properly drafted as to insure its prompt, impartial and faithful enforcement would be acceptable to organized labor, the public and the corporations—except, of course, the employers and employees who insist on having only their own way regardless of the consequences to everybody else—but such element would soon be gotten rid of in public services under such law.

The mention of ex-Gov. John Young Brown for Governor, with the prospect of his nomination by the rival Democrats, has attracted unusual attention throughout the State and country. Not only is this due to the political contentions or the importance of the campaign, but because, politics aside, Gov. Brown is widely known as a clear, honorable, able, fearless man, beloved by his friends and popular with the people. He is a strong man for the head of any ticket, on the stump a match for the best of them, and his record is wholly unassailable. Whatever may be thought of the propriety of his candidacy, it is folly to belittle his strength and influence with the people.

With regular Republican and Democratic tickets already nominated, a rival Democratic and the Populist tickets assured, to say nothing of tickets and candidates spoken of, matters political will be rather warm, and the Old Commonwealth will get such a shaking up as she never had, which will be the better for the people. We have had altogether so much one-party and one-man rule, and consequent political lethargy, in this State that everybody seemed too drowsy and indolent to get a move on them. The impending campaign will wake up things, and the sleepy fellows will be left to sleep on. May the hustle of the campaign prove epidemic.

John O'Neill, editor of the Bridgeport Advocate, last week suffered the loss of his father and mother, affectionate and loving Christian parents, who passed to their eternal home only one day apart. To him and his sisters and brothers we extend our heartfelt sympathy.

That was a noble expression of Archbishop Martinelli last Sunday. These were his words relative to the death of Robert G. Ingersoll: "I sincerely hope that he is saved. Death must come to all of us."

John T. Bashaw, of this city, was nominated for the office of Attorney General by the Populist State convention at Frankfort.

Dr. John G. Blair, of Nicholas county, has been named by the Populists as their candidate for Governor.

The Courier-Journal building reminds one of a beautiful woman with a dirty neck.

LEXINGTON.

Simple Simon Trying to Find a Cool Place—The Elks' Fair—Gossip.

[Special Letter to the Kentucky Irish American.]

LEXINGTON, KY., July 28.—This was a very dull week for news. The weather has been so warm that every one has been trying to find a cool place.

Some of the Young Men's Institute boys will go on a ten-days' outing on the Kentucky river, about one mile and a half below Lock 6, at the mouth of Clear creek, and the boys who wish to visit them will find the latch-string on the outside, and they can count on an excellent time. They will leave on Sunday, August 13, and will be made up of the following: J. J. Galvin, J. J. O'Brien, D. J. Crowe, J. A. Hall, Jr., P. F. Sharkey, Mike Murphy, Ed. Rhorer, Robert Furlong, Louis Nelder, John J. Woods, Mike Cronin, John McGurk, John Clark, Mike McCalliffe and several others who have not fully decided to go.

Mr. John J. Ruby, the popular clerk of the Kaufman Clothing Company, was tendered a vote of thanks for his excellent management of the Young Men's Institute picnic. John always does everything in a handsome manner. The Young Ladies' Auxiliary were also extended a vote of thanks.

Barney F. Bradley was initiated a member of Barry Council last Tuesday night.

Mr. D. J. Hickey, formerly with Ryan's saloon, will open a business of his own in the old Clarendon Hotel building early next week. He will be pleased to see all his old friends.

The engagement is announced of Miss Jimmie W. Knight, of this city, and Mr. P. F. Hubbard, of Columbus, Ind. The marriage will be celebrated in September at St. Paul's church. Miss Knight is the daughter of Mrs. Knight, of South Limestone, and is a lovely young lady whose grace and charm have won her many friends and admirers in this and other cities. Her fiancé is a rising young business man of Indianapolis.

Miss Clara Harkins, of West Broadway, is visiting in Indianapolis.

Miss Agnes King, of Mt. Sterling, is visiting Miss Margaret Carroll, of Spring street.

Miss Mary Sullivan, of Richmond, is visiting relatives in this city.

The Elks' Fair will begin Tuesday, August 8, and continue five days.

SIMPLE SIMON.

ROUSING MEETING.

Division 4 Will Present Its President a Handsome Emblem.

Nearly every seat in Hibernian Hall was occupied when President Hennessy took the chair to preside over the deliberations of Division 4 Wednesday evening, much to the surprise of the officers, as many were expected to be absent on account of the amount of work they performed Monday night.

The committee having in charge the picnic made a partial report, and the announcement of the sum realized was greeted with applause.

Patrick Gilligan, a well-known railroad man, was initiated. John O'Donnell has the honor of presenting the first application for membership in Jefferson county since the initiation fee has been raised.

President John Hennessy will be the recipient of a handsome gold emblem from the division at the next meeting, and all members of the order are invited to be present to witness the presentation.

This division adopted a resolution accepting the invitation of President Keenan to be present at the meeting of Division 1 on August 8 and voted to attend in a body.

The Literary Committee for the ensuing year will consist of Joe Lynch, Dave Reilly and John Grogan. They were instructed to procure refreshments and make arrangements for a jolly time for members and visitors on the evening of August 8. This meeting will mark an event in the history of Division 4.

Division 4 also acknowledged in a handsome way the valuable services of John Murphy, John Hennessy, Harry Brady, Jerry Hallahan, Robert Mitchell, George Flahiff, John Grogan, Tom Lynch, Tom Kelly, Joe Lynch, Tom Langan, Mike Walsh, Dave Reilly, Edward Rafferty, Tom Sullivan, Terence McHugh, Tom Flahive, Mike Hartnett, Charles Callahan, Dan Hartnett, Pat Burke, Will Murphy and John Shaughnessy.



Miss Emma Purford will leave for Galena next week.

Miss Mattie Wehrley left Wednesday to visit friends at Avoca.

Mr. and Mrs. William Hopkins spent the week at West Baden.

Mrs. Mary Niland is reported quite ill at her home on Duncan street.

Misses Fannie and Emily McAteer are visiting friends in Hardinsburg.

J. W. O'Neill spent the week enjoying a vacation at West Baden Springs.

Misses Lizzie and Ella Hayes spent the week with friends in Brandenburg.

The White Rose Club will give a hay ride to Jacob Park Thursday evening.

John Burke, of Newport, was here this week, a guest of the Louisville Hotel.

Mrs. Dennis Shanahan has gone to Chicago, where she will visit her parents.

M. F. Melody was among the Louisvilleans registered at West Baden this week.

Mrs. M. J. Klerce, of Evansville, is visiting her sister, Mrs. M. J. Gavin, 1236 Eighth street.

Mrs. James O'Neill and daughter, Miss Mary, spent last Sunday with friends in Jeffersonville.

Mr. R. G. Tafel and wife were among those from this city registered at West Baden Springs.

Miss Nellie Cannon's friends were glad to meet her Monday evening at the Hibernian outing.

Mrs. J. B. Wathen and Miss Wathen are home after a three-weeks' visit with friends in Detroit.

Mrs. Marion Ryan has gone to White Sulphur Springs, Ind., where she will remain for several weeks.

Miss Mary E. Halligan is in St. Louis for a two weeks' stay, where she is the guest of Miss Lillian Rhubb.

Miss Annie Burns, of New York, who was the guest of Miss Mollie Collins, is visiting relatives in Springfield.

Mr. Harry Burke, who has been seriously ill of typhoid fever for some weeks, is again able to see his friends.

Mark Ryan has returned from his summer vacation and resumed his position in the Circuit Court Clerk's office.

Young May Cowan, one of the brightest young girls of Limerick, spent the week as the guest of Miss Hattie Higgins.

The many friends of Officer Patrick Raidey will regret to learn that he is suffering from an attack of typhoid fever.

John Flynn, who has been seriously ill at his home on Sixth street for the past four weeks, is reported now convalescent.

Mr. Tom Mulligan, of Cincinnati, was here the early part of the week, the guest of his wife's mother, Mrs. Clark, Fifth street.

Mrs. George Miller, of Zane street, has returned home after a pleasant three weeks' visit with friends in Nelson county.

Mrs. James Kennedy left last week for Asheville, N. C., where she will remain for some time, the guest of Mrs. Nellie Francis.

Miss Annie McGill, who went to New York last Saturday, sailed for Europe Thursday. She will spend three weeks in Paris.

Mr. Herman Sadler, of Jeffersonville, has accepted a responsible position in Chicago, and will make that city his future home.

Misses May Harrigan and Lillian Burke are visiting Mrs. Nellie Francis, at Asheville, N. C. They will return the latter part of August.

Mrs. Mary Monahan, of Bank street, whose illness has confined her to her home for the past ten days, has almost entirely recovered.

Misses Annie Kelly and Mary Lynch, two handsome young ladies, represented the Ladies' Auxiliary at the outing of Division 4 Monday night.

Col. John M. Casey, one of Shelbyville's most enterprising merchants, was a welcome visitor to the Kentucky Irish American office Wednesday.

Miss Blanche Carr has been confined to her home on Second street for several days by sickness. Her host of friends hope for her speedy recovery.

James T. Shelley was among this week's visitors to West Baden Springs. He is now representing one of the large hardware houses of Indianapolis.

Lieut. Steve Wickham has been spending ten days at West Baden Springs. The Journal speaks of the popular officer in a deservedly complimentary manner.

James Bulger is still confined to his home at Thirtieth and Lexington streets. His present illness is supposed to be from the effects of an injury received a year ago.

The many friends of Dominick Burke,

of Eighth and St. Catherine, will regret to learn that he is confined to his home, threatened with an attack of typhoid fever.

Mrs. Agnes Connor, of Madison, Ind., was here this week visiting the Misses Fitzgerald, Grand avenue, Parkland. She was accompanied by her daughter, Miss Agnes.

Mr. H. W. Reese and wife and Fred and Miss Lena Reese are enjoying a two-weeks' rest at West Baden Springs. Mr. Fred Reese will leave there on a business trip through several Western States.

Edward Daley, who has been confined to his home on Nineteenth street for the past ten days, is reported much better, and his friends hope to see him resume his position with the L. & N. before another week.

Little Coleman Butler, of West Market street, is establishing quite a reputation for himself as a vocalist. Coleman's ragtime singing is especially good and deserves the hearty encores which he always receives.

Misses Carrie and Julia Lynch, two accomplished young ladies of Jeffersonville, spent Monday with friends in this city, by whom they were handsomely entertained during the evening at the Hibernian picnic.

Miss Susie Miller, of Zane street, returned Monday from Bardonia, where she enjoyed a pleasant visit with friends during the past month. Miss Miller is a charming young lady, and was the recipient of much social attention.

Mr. and Mrs. William Burke have returned from their wedding trip. The happy husband is a well known machinist in the Louisville & Nashville shops, and his friends have been extending him their congratulations on his winning so handsome a bride.

Mrs. Anna Arts, who recently sustained a severe shock and the fracture of her arm as the result of a misstep while descending the stairs at her home, 2011 Portland avenue, is reported to be now in a fair way to recovery, and her friends will be pleased to learn that she expects to be soon able to leave her room.

For once the critics were mistaken. They have prophesied time and again that Dan Collins, of the Carter Dry Goods Company, was vowed to perpetual celibacy, but now comes the announcement of his engagement and approaching nuptials to a very wealthy young widow of the West End. Verily the sly old fox knows a good thing when he sees it.

A pretty East End lass is receiving the congratulations of her friends on her engagement to Mike Reilly, of the Hibernian Knights. And well she may, for the conquest of Mike Reilly's heart is a feat worthy the charms of any lady fair. Meanwhile Mike wears that solemn, mischievous air of a gay gallant who has been trapped, but submits joyfully to his bondage.

Miss Josie Sullivan entertained a little gathering of her friends last Tuesday evening. Those present were: Misses Katie Purcell, Ida Shanahan, Sallie Spivey, Carrie Hennessy and Maggie Sullivan, Messrs. Thomas Hawkins, William Melon, John Barry, Thomas and William Sullivan. Miss Josie Sullivan entertained those present with several delightful piano solos, which were heartily appreciated.

Frank Walter, the popular Clay-street brewer, was the recipient of a pleasant surprise by a number of his friends Monday evening in honor of his fortieth birthday. They were accompanied by two bands of music, and after the serenade all were invited to partake of a sumptuous spread, prepared under the supervision of Mrs. J. E. Walter. The occasion was a most enjoyable one, and many were the expressions of good will for the continued long life of Mr. Walter.

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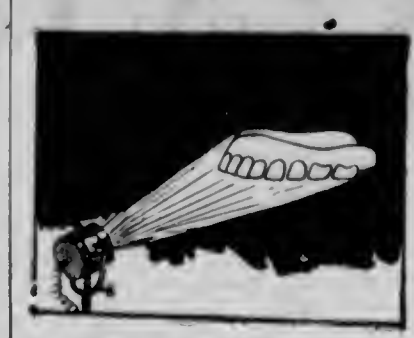
St. Louis Bertrand's Sunday-school will have its outing at Fern Grove Monday, August 7. The picnic is given free to the teachers and pupils of the Sunday-school, and to all others desiring to go tickets will be sold for twenty-five cents. Boats will leave foot of First street at 8:30 a. m. and 1:30 p. m. Prof. Morlach's band will furnish the music for those who wish to "trip the light fantastic toe."

NEXT FEIS CEOL.

The programme of the Feis Ceoil of 1900, which is to take place in Belfast in May has been issued. The principal prize, \$250, is for the best cantata on an Irish subject by an Irish author. Fifty dollars is offered for the composition for a full orchestra, \$50 for the best arrangement of Irish airs for a brass and reed band and \$50 for the best string quartet, and \$25 for the best anthem or Latin motet with or without organ accompaniment. Prizes are also offered for original songs, piano, harp and organ compositions, arrangements of Irish airs, etc. The last date for receiving compositions will be January 1, 1900. The coming Feis will be the fourth, and it is very gratifying to see how securely it has been established in so short a time as a national institution which has knit in harmonious bonds north and south.

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Jimule (of the slums)—I tell yer, there's a wuss feller arou' 'than Jack the Ripper. Billy (his chum)—Yer don't say! Jimmie—Yer bet there is. I heard a doctor up at the hospital say that Mike Robes killed hundreds every day.



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HIBERNIANS.

**What They Have Been Doing
the Past Week—General
News Notes.**

We are at work on the history of Division 2, which will shortly appear in these columns.

Michael Cavanaugh, who some time ago suffered the loss of his eye, will soon be able to resume his position.

Tom Dolan was delighted with the degree work of Division 2. He never before saw anything to equal it.

All the divisions of St. Paul voted to turn out to the picnic Saturday. That is one of the causes of its success.

County Treasurer Owen Keiran was unable to attend Monday's event. However, he sent eight representatives.

The installation of Secretary Tom Dolan Tuesday evening was attended with more éclat than that of any other officer of the division.

Among the original members of Division 1 at the meeting Tuesday evening were William Claire, James Rodgers and Tim Lyons.

The picnic of the St. Paul Hibernians at White Bear lake last Saturday was the largest ever held in the history of the organization.

Today there are sixty-four divisions in Suffolk county, Mass., which includes the city of Boston. It was only six years ago that Division 15 was organized.

A musical programme followed the business meeting of the Ladies' Auxiliary of Providence last week. An amusing feature of the evening was a cake walk.

Francis J. Parrelly, the new President of Division 11 of Providence, is considered one of the most patriotic and conscientious Irishman in Rhode Island.

Thomas Degan, of Division 4, was given a cordial welcome at the meeting of Division 1 Tuesday evening. He was surprised at the number of friends he met.

A real genuine, old-fashioned picnic will be given August 12 by Division 3 of Bridgeport, Conn., where everything known in the pleasure line will be on hand.

After the installation of officers last week by Division 12 of Providence, speeches were delivered by several prominent members and the exercises closed with a social time.

Division 27 is increasing in membership rapidly and promises to soon become the banner division of Boston, both in numerical strength and quality of its membership, says the Pilot.

The Young Men's Division meets Tuesday evening. There are several matters of vital importance that must be considered, and President Cunningham and ex-President McCarthy urge all to attend.

Rumor has it that Tom Maloney, one of the popular members of Division 4, is about to cast aside the sable garb of mourning which he has so long worn to try once more marital felicity. The young lady is to be congratulated upon her selection of a partner.

The next meeting of Division 2 will be an interesting one. John Barrett, Will Meehan and Owen Keiran are now rehearsing, and promise the members a sensation. A cordial invitation is extended to the other divisions to be present.

The insurance feature is very popular with the members of the Ladies' Auxiliary throughout the West. In Minnesota its progress has surprised the most hopeful. The assessment is light—only twenty-five cents upon the death of a member.

John Barrett, of Division 2, was among the visitors Tuesday evening. His reminiscences of the past twenty-five years were of a most pleasing as well as interesting character, at the close of which he paid a nice compliment to the officers and members of the mother division.

There was a very good attendance at the meeting of Division 1 Tuesday night. The Jubilee Committee reported the Riverview celebration a social and financial success, and quite a handsome sum will be realized. Those still holding tickets are urged to make returns immediately.

Division 2 entertained a number of visitors Thursday evening. President Meehan, John Barrett and Owen Keiran are excellent hosts. Before the closing exercises the officers and members joined in singing "God Save Ireland." This may become a popular feature in the future.

The Minnesota State Board of Directors of the Ladies' Auxiliary has offered a prize to the lady who brings into her division the greatest number of insured members during the quarter ending September 30. The prize is a beautiful gold pin, and one will be given each division in the State.

Division 4 of St. Paul embraces in its membership many of the brightest young men in that city. They gave a nice entertainment last week, and the Irish Standard says it is a treat to attend one of their meetings. Our Young Men's Division should embrace all the leading young men of this city.

Why that far-away look on the usually happy countenance of Col. Joe Taylor during the past two weeks? Can it be that the gallant Joe is repining for some absent one? Many of his down-town friends connect his crestfallen air with the departure of a certain young lady for the Northern summer resorts.

The Ladies' Auxiliary of the Ancient Order of Hibernians has proved a decided success wherever it has been organized. Its aims are to elevate morally and socially the people of the Irish race, as well as to promote the interests of the Ancient Order of Hibernians. There are a great many ladies in this city whose names ought to be on the membership roll.

The Young Men's Division ought to have the largest membership of any in the city, and would if the members would only put their shoulder to the wheel and each perform their part. The winter season will soon be here, and those who wish to participate in the social functions

of Division 6 should send in their applications at once. The young men expect to make this season an exceedingly gay one.

The most important event in Hibernian circles at Duluth, Minn., this month was the joint installation of officers of Divisions 1 and 4. The order was reported as fast increasing in membership. After the ceremony had been performed the installing officer addressed the new officers with words of advice and encouragement, impressing upon them the responsibility of the duties to which they had been elected, and asked each one to work with a zeal for the good of the order. The annual outing of the society will take place early next month, a committee having been appointed to make all arrangements and select a suitable place for holding the same. These outings are always pleasant events with the Hibernians and their friends.

RETURNS TO IRELAND.

**Miss McMahon Saw No Man in
America That She Would
Agree to Marry.**

Miss Alice McMahon, who says that she will be one hundred and five years old on her next birthday, in September, sailed Saturday on the Umbria for Ireland, where is her old home. She was accompanied by Miss Julia McMahon, a relative of Gen. Thomas McMahon, says the New York Journal. Many of the friends of Miss McMahon and Miss Julia visited the steamer and filled their state-rooms in the second cabin with flowers and presents, which so delighted the centenarian that she moved about like a young girl. When asked by one of her friends how she managed to keep her health and live to such an old age she replied:

"It is because I have been temperate in all things. I expect to live many years longer. What I think has done more for me than anything else is my religion. I have tried to be a good Catholic. This has kept my conscience clear. I have never been unhappy."

"You were never married, auntie?"
"Some one must have told you that. It is the truth, though. Perhaps if I had stayed in Ireland I would have been a wife and dead long ago, but I never saw the man since I left home that I would give the snap of my finger for. A single life has been a happy one for me, and that is more than many married friends can say about their lives."

"How do you fix your age, auntie?"
"I was born the same day as Canon McMahon, and his birth in the church record is in 1794. I remember playing with him when a child, and my mother often said that we ought to be happy together because we were born at the same time. He died fifteen years ago at the age of ninety."

Miss McMahon is portly, yet strong and hearty. In repose she looks very old, but when talking her face brightens up and she looks much younger than she is. She has been living for several years at No. 793 Second avenue, and has always been able to go up and down two flights of stairs to the street and walk several blocks without aid. She does not recall ever having a doctor to attend her and never has taken any drugs. When she has been depressed a little good whiskey has always put her right.

On Wednesday night she gave a farewell reception to her old friends, and joined in a lively reel.
"You have danced long enough, Auntie," said Daniel Warren.
"I'll not be the first to sit down," responded she with a saucy toss of her silvery head.

Miss McMahon was born in Laragh, County Monaghan, and left home seventy-five years ago. She was raised on a farm. Her first place in this country was on the estate of Gen. J. McBride, Hamptonburg, N. Y., where she had charge of the dairy and 140 cows. A few years later she became the housekeeper at Livingston Manor. She saved her money, and in 1855 went into the dressmaking business, at which she accumulated a snug fortune.

She has a brother Patrick in Laragh, whose youngest son, Patrick, is a member of the Legislature in Montana. She hopes to end her days in the little village where she was born.

RECENT DEATHS.

Mrs. Caroline Carroll, one of the oldest residents of the West End, passed away last Sunday afternoon at her residence, 2439 Bank street. The deceased lady was the widow of the late John Carroll, and was in her eighty-fifth year. The funeral occurred Tuesday morning from St. Cecilia's church.

George Moeller, a well-known resident of the East End, died last Sunday afternoon at the residence of his son-in-law, Dennis Sullivan. His funeral took place Tuesday morning from St. John's church, the remains being accompanied to their last resting place by a large number of sorrowing friends.

Much sorrow was caused by the death of Mrs. Mary Flynn, wife of Morris Flynn, which sad event occurred Monday night, at the family residence, 2302 Tyler avenue. The deceased was a most estimable lady, and the bereaved husband has the sympathy of a host of friends. The funeral took place from St. Cecilia's church, Wednesday morning, and the interment was in St. Louis cemetery.

The announcement of the death of Mrs. Laura Lawson early Monday morning caused deep regret in the community in which she lived. The deceased was the wife of Joseph Lawson, residing on the Taylor boulevard, and was only nineteen years old. Her funeral took place from Holy Name church Tuesday morning, and was attended by many sorrowing friends and relatives.

Communications should reach this office not later than Thursday to insure publication in these columns.

IRELAND.

**Record of the Most Important of
the Recent Events Culled
From Exchanges.**

The Dalkey regatta occurs next Saturday. Immense crowds attended the regatta at New Ross.

The recent dog show in Belfast was one of the most successful yet held. Several Irish records were lowered at the late Ballymena cycling sports.

William Mooney, an aged and respected merchant, died at his residence at Abbeyleix on July 11.

Katie Cousins, principal of the Dysart school, died July 8 at the home of her mother in Omagh.

For Thursday, July 27, athletic and cycling sports were announced at Strabane, Ballinasloe and Listowel, and also the Clontarf regatta.

The Dublin Board of Guardians has prohibited the grouping and photographing of pauper children, as they would be a disagreeable reminder in after years of their surroundings during childhood.

Letters from London to our Irish exchanges predict the passage of the agricultural and industries bill and the Dublin boundaries bill, as the opponents of these popular measures have utterly failed to make out a case.

At the Ardee Petty Sessions Owen and John Corbally were brought up on remand from Dundalk jail and charged with the murder of Thomas Byrne near Ardee on the night of June 28. The court was thronged.

Daniel Ennis, formerly a Constable in Belfast, was seen climbing on top of the Ormeau bridge, using wild expressions about being tired of life. He was turned over to Constable Murphy, who promised to communicate with the unfortunate man's brother.

The Limerick Borough Council has adopted the system of triennial elections, and the Local Government Board has sanctioned the arrangement. Quite a goodly number of borough and urban councils have now decided in favor of triennial elections.

Lord Roberts, who distributed the Crimean banquet fund prizes to the boys of the Hibernian school, said he was greatly pleased with the year's work. He gave the boys some sound advice and had to congratulate the prize winners on a record competition.

The final tie in the hurling match for the Croke Cup was played at Thurles, when Limerick defeated Kilkenny. There was a very large crowd present, and his Grace the Archbishop of Cashel, the donor of the cup, was an interested spectator throughout the proceedings.

The Kerry County Council case against the railway amalgamation bill came before the Hybrid Committee of the House of Commons July 12. Mr. Blennerhassett, in opening the case for the County Council, said the opposition from Kerry and Limerick was thorough and complete.

At the last meeting of the Rathdown Board of Guardians S. Byrne, of Bray, was elected Master of the Loughlinstown work-house. Sister Josephine was elected matron and Sisters Vincent and Louise were selected as trained nurses. They are of the Order of Charity of St. Vincent de Paul.

At the examination before the Dublin Institute of Public Health nineteen candidates presented themselves. The following is a list of the successful candidates in the order of merit: John Reynolds, Henry Hall, Michael Keena, Michael Murphy, Pat O'Loughlin, Mary Lucas and John Furlong.

The sad news of the death of Fred Hanahan, of Clonmel, caused a painful shock. Full of good nature, courtesy, ability and charged with inexhaustible energy, he was the life and soul of the Kilsheelan coursing meeting and a model Secretary. His tragic end has saddened many a heart in Tipperary.

It is stated in a Limerick newspaper that a new and interesting development of the labor campaign is contemplated by the leaders of that movement. The details are almost complete, and the plan of campaign will probably be unfolded at a great demonstration to be held in Kilmallock toward the end of the present month.

At the recent Limerick Summer Assizes Justice Murphy was presented with a pair of white gloves by High Sheriff Thomas Cleve, and his Lordship expressed his gratification at the peaceful state of the city. Justice Madlen also congratulated the county grand jurors on the absence of crime in the county, the cases before him not indicating serious opposition to law.

Many congratulations to Mr. Hubert Dolphin, of Loughrea, on his recent marriage to Miss De Blaquiere, of Gort, says a sporting writer. The bridegroom is a familiar sportsman of the good old Western type, while his bride has been a dashing follower of the Galway Blazers and the Mayo Harriers. The happy pair are spending their honeymoon in the Highlands.

The Gaelic League has just received from T. J. Sullivan, M. P., a sum of \$100, dividend from the bequest of the late Patrick Mullin, who left nearly \$5,000 for the preservation of the Irish language, oral and written. Mr. Sullivan, who is trustee of the fund, has been informed by the lawyers who acted for him in the American courts that there is a likelihood of something further being recovered for the fund.

The opening services in connection with the beautiful new church in Cloughjordan concluded Wednesday and took the edifying form of a three weeks' mission by the Rev. Fathers Moyahane, Murray and Clune, of the Redemptorist order. The success of the mission was marked from every point of view. The attendance was exceedingly large every day and a spirit of deep devotion and solemnity pervaded each congregation.

A report issued as a Parliamentary

paper stated that, according to the latest published statistics, the estimated number of cattle in Ireland in the year 1898 was 4,486,242, being an increase of 21,369 as compared with the number for the year '97. No outbreak of any contagious cattle disease mentioned in the diseases of animals acts occurred during '98 in the Irish herds. The country has, happily, been free from contagious pleuro-pneumonia for over six years, no outbreak having taken place since September, 1892.

At the Athlone Borough Court some thirty or forty members of the Third Battalion Connaught Rangers, known as the Boyle militia, were summoned for drunkenness and riotous behavior on their arrival in town after being disbanded. In accordance with the scale of gravity in the offences fines and costs were imposed. At a special Court of Petty Sessions more serious offences were dealt with, and many members of the same regiment are at present in Tullamore jail for different periods for assaults, etc., on the same occasion.

At the meeting of the Binniskillen Rural District Council, Viscount Corry presiding, the vacancy in the Castlecoole division was filled by co-optation. This vacancy was caused by the unseating on June 8 of Thomas Curran through a petition brought by the Hon. Cecil Corry, who was the first of the defeated candidates in April, and was only beaten then by five votes. J. M. Geddis proposed and Andrew T. Elliott seconded that Cecil Corry be co-opted. This was passed unanimously, and Corry then signed the declaration and took his seat at the council.

At the half-yearly general meeting of the Wolfe Tone and '98 Memorial Association held in the Council chamber, Dublin, the following resolution was unanimously adopted: "That the Wolfe Tone and '98 Memorial Association at this, its half-yearly meeting, desires to ask for serious consideration of the project to inaugurate a Parnell memorial fund at the present time, as being likely to jeopardize the success of the Wolfe Tone memorial fund, and, while disavowing any antagonism to that or any other such project, respectfully requests the meeting of citizens summoned by the Lord Mayor for the 27th inst. to consider whether a postponement of the project be not advisable."

A meeting of the executive of the United Irish League was held in Claremorris on Monday, Conor O'Kelly in the chair. A resolution was adopted saying that they were glad to observe that Lord Sligo and E. T. O'Donel, of Newport, had accepted the proposal that the landlords confer with the representatives of the people with a view to the sale of their estates to the Congested Districts Board, and requesting the Claremorris and Ballinacorney District Councils to open negotiation with the landlords in South Mayo, with a view to getting them to follow the example of Lord Dillon, Lord Sligo, Lord Lucan and E. Thomas O'Donel. A resolution of sympathy was passed with McGorry in the loss occasioned him by the death of his mother.

At the meeting of the Fermoy Rural District Council, P. O'Mahony presiding, a resolution was adopted that four provincial conventions be held in Ireland on a day to be hereafter selected; that each of these conventions consist of the Chairman of each Rural District Council, of each Urban District Council and of each County Council in Ireland, and that three members of each of the three councils, in addition to the Chairman, be selected to represent the people in the respective districts and counties from which they come; that at each provincial convention so constituted the delegates discuss the best means of obtaining unity, and that the Chairman and the three other selected members of each provincial convention form a united convention of the Irish race at home and abroad.

The Belfast Orangemen do not seem to be gifted with even an elementary sense of humor, says a correspondent of the Dublin Independent. Either that or they are afflicted with a sudden attack of common sense. Their demonstration July 12, if it had any meaning at all, was meant as a defiant display against Belfast Catholics in particular and Irish Catholics in general. What the Catholics have ever done to merit this annual outburst nobody seems to be aware. The Orangemen themselves appear to have forgotten what the business is all about. The true-blue Orangemen ought to be a man who would give no quarter to a Papist. But what do we find him doing July 12—of all days in the year? He actually favors the education of Orangemen and Catholics in the same schools! He does not like a Catholic university at all. He prefers the Papist's company to his room. He practically admits that a Catholic lad is good enough company for his own boy. It is quite clear, after this, that no extra policemen will be required in Belfast on July 12 a few years hence.

SACRED HEART OUTING.

The outing and picnic Thursday for the benefit of the Church of the Sacred Heart was a most enjoyable one, the park being thronged afternoon and night. The cause contest was decided in favor of Alderman Patterson. Mrs. Thomas Tarry was the winner of the diamond ring. Rev. Father Walsh has a fine corps of workers in Messrs. Thomas Claire, Joseph Byrnes, Walter Hensley, James Toner and Marcus Doerhoefer. The ladies were not outdone by the men, the efforts of Mesdames Curran, Claire, Tarry and Misses Lizzie Nolan, Julia McDonough, Rilla Dolan and their pretty assistants contributing much to its success.

EXCURSION TO INDIANAPOLIS.

The "Big Four Route" announces a special excursion to Indianapolis and return on Sunday, July 30th, at the extreme low rate of \$1.50 for the round trip. Special train leaves Seventh-street Union Depot at 8 o'clock a. m. Returning train leaves Union Depot, Indianapolis, at 7 o'clock p. m. Tickets on sale at City Ticket Office, No. 218 Fourth avenue, and at Union Depot, corner Seventh and river.

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ADDRESSED BY HON. GEO. H. THOBIE.

Notwithstanding the warm day, the ball game and the other outdoor attractions, there was a good attendance at the meeting of the Central Labor Union at Beck's Hall Sunday afternoon, when President James McGill called the delegates to order.

The roll call showed that a number of delegates have not been attending the meetings. Their unions will be notified and requested to select men who will be present regularly.

The credentials of George Rautenbusch, Jacob Wise and August Kammerer, representing the Journeymen Barbers' Union, and Charles McPherson and Frank Urquhart, from the Limestone Cutters' and Setters' Union, were received and the delegates admitted to seats.

A communication was read from P. J. McGuire, First Vice President of the American Federation of Labor, endorsing the course pursued by the Central Labor Union toward those unions that have recently withdrawn for the purpose of forming a dual central labor body.

President Gompers' letter, published last week, read, and the Secretary instructed to write him for a copy of his decision on the appeal of the United Trades and Labor Assembly, which he inadvertently omitted to forward. Many hope this will unite the two bodies.

The course of Gen. Merriam toward the miners of Idaho was condemned. Messrs. James Martin, Joseph Hehenan and R. H. Caldwell were appointed to draw up resolutions expressing the sentiments of the delegates, and they reported the following:

Resolved, That it is the sense of the Central Labor Union of Louisville, Ky., that the recent proclamation to the miners of Shoshone county, Idaho, given out by order of the Governor of the State and endorsed by Gen. H. C. Merriam, U. S. A., is a blow against the civil rights of the laboring classes of that State and an unpardonable affront to the workingmen of the whole country, in that it denies their right to join a labor organization and compels the mine owners to employ none but non-union men, under pain of having mines closed; be it further

Resolved, That the Central Labor Union condemns in the strongest terms the action of Gen. Merriam in confiscating the records of the Miners' Union in Shoshone county, Idaho, as worthy only of a Russian Czar and as being inimical to the ideal of any liberty-loving people.

Resolved, That we further condemn the action of Gen. Merriam in holding as prisoners of war 400 men in the Standard Oil stockade. Four of these men have already died from the effects of the unsanitary conditions.

A communication was received from the Clothing Cutters' and Triumphant Union protesting against the placing of the order for the uniforms for the letter carriers of this city with a non-union house.

A communication was also received from the Harry Weissinger Tobacco Company announcing that the product of their factory was strictly union made, and that the company was not in the trust.

The Labor Day Committee reported all but minor details arranged for the Labor day excursion to Fern Grove. Already enough tickets have been disposed of to insure its success, and everything points to the most enjoyable Labor day celebration in the history of the city.

The committee have under consideration the names of several prominent men, one or more of whom will be invited to deliver orations on that occasion.

Zeno M. Young, of the Typographical Union, was elected Corresponding Secretary, and Joseph Scheffer and George Rautenbusch were appointed on the Board of Directors.

Mr. McGill made a speech in favor of extending the olive branch to the members of the seceding unions. He said the Central Labor Union had never made a fight against any of the seceders, and he never was in favor of using force. He awaited the action of President Gompers, determined to stand by his decision, no matter what it was. Now that President Gompers has decided for the Central Labor Union, he was in favor and would do his utmost to bring back all those who left by kindness and moral suasion.

INDORSED BY THE CENTRAL LABOR UNION.

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That the Kentucky Irish American is steadily growing in favor with its readers and usefulness to the public is evidenced by the action of the Central Labor Union and the Building Trades Council in giving it their indorsement, which is the more welcome and appreciated because unsolicited and unexpected. The publisher is grateful, and will endeavor to merit this additional recognition. Our friends will be pleased to learn that the proposition favoring the indorsement was unanimously adopted by the delegates of both bodies. The preamble and resolutions adopted by the Central Labor Union are as follows:

Whereas, Many misstatements have recently appeared in the press of this city relative to the Central Labor Union and organizations represented therein; and Whereas, The Kentucky Irish American has always been a consistent and unbiased champion of the trades union movement; therefore be it

Resolved, That the Central Labor Union indorse said Kentucky Irish American as the official newspaper of this body.

Resolved, That the proceedings of this organization and all affiliated unions be communicated to the public through the columns of the aforesaid paper.

The following resolutions, which explain themselves, were unanimously adopted:

Whereas, Information has come to this body that the advertising agent of the New Era, a so-called labor paper, which was kicked out of the Central Labor Union for advocating and trying to disrupt the central body, has been soliciting advertisements from our business men, claiming that the money realized was for the benefit of the Central Labor Union; be it

Resolved, That we denounce in unmeasured terms the contemptible action of the New Era for using the name of this body, which is the only recognized central body in the city of Louisville; be it further

Resolved, That the information that the New Era does not represent this body and has no right to use its name in the solicitation of funds for any purpose be imparted to the business men of our city and published in the Kentucky Irish American, which carries our indorsement, and the daily papers.

GOING ON STRIKE.

Newsboys Promise to Make Things Lively for Certain Newspapers.

The newsboys of Louisville are determined not to be behind their fellows in the metropolitan cities. Encouraged by the success of the boys in Cincinnati, Lexington and other places, they have for several days past been engaged in perfecting an organization and formulating demands to be presented to the local publishers. They were to meet at the Newsboys' Home last night to take final action.

The principal grievance of the little fellows is that the Courier-Journal and Times will not allow them to return unsold copies. They claim that often sudden changes in the weather after the papers are out and other unexpected happenings cause them to be "stuck," thus depriving them of the profits sometimes on the sales of a week. If their demands are not granted they promise to make things lively on Newspaper Row. Said one little fellow:

"Say, Mr. Higgins, say in you're paper we're the boys what sells the papers. We have the sympathy of the public, and ain't going to lose our young lives sellin' papers for nothin'. Come and see our parade Saturday night. You'd take 'em back, wouldn't you?"

WOOD CARVERS' UNION.

Monday night at Beck's Hall the wood carvers of this city, New Albany and Jeffersonville completed the organization of the union of their trade. The new body was chartered by the International Wood Carvers' Association, and starts upon its career in most favorable circumstances.

The officers elected are competent and reliable men, and from them George H. Thobie, the General Organizer of the association, through whose instrumentality the new union was perfected, expects good results.

Organizer Thobie has been very successful during the past three months, having succeeded in organizing fifteen unions of his fellow-workers during that time, and he says the Louisville body should take front rank in the labor movement in the near future. Mr. Thobie left the city Tuesday for Evansville, and from there will go to St. Louis, organizing unions in both places. He is an earnest and successful worker, being one of the most popular men in Covington. When seen by our reporter he stated that the condition of the wood carvers is fair throughout the entire country, all the men being employed. He predicts that the wood carvers will soon become one of the leading labor bodies of the country.

The union will send delegates to the Central Labor Union.

BUILDING TRADES COUNCIL.

The members of the Building Trades Council met at Beck's Hall, on Fifth street, Thursday night and elected the following officers: President, George Roser; Vice President, L. P. Cahoe; Recording and Corresponding Secretary, W. G. Kolp; Financial Secretary, J. C. Allen; Treasurer, H. Paul; Sergeant-at-Arms, J. Bailey; Board of Directors, J. D. Donnelly, H. Roud, W. Mitchell, D. Gorman and E. Van Meter.

A committee composed of G. Roser, W. G. Kolp, J. C. Allen, L. P. Cahoe, E. Van Meter and D. Gorman was appointed to confer with the city officials and the members of the School Board and arrange with them to have a clause inserted in every contract saying that nothing but union labor shall be employed. It was also decided to furnish every union man with a card. These cards will be used in identifying union men and it will be impossible for anyone to obtain employment in a union shop unless he carries one of the cards. The color of the cards will be changed monthly to avoid duplication.

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LABOR WORLD.

Notes and Gossip of the Week From All Parts of the Country.

Gov. Pingree is expected to deliver the Labor day oration at Peoria, Ill.

The carpenters of Jersey City and Hoboken have secured the eight-hour day.

Eugene V. Debs will address a monster mass meeting at St. Louis September 9.

Journeymen plasterers are scarce in Chicago, and are receiving \$1 a day of eight hours.

In France three bicycles of American make are now sold to one of English manufacture.

Chicago machinists are hot over the removal of the headquarters from that city to Washington.

Twenty cities so far in the present year have been added to the carpenters' long list of eight-hour towns.

The annual convention of the Indiana Federation of Labor will meet at Elwood on Tuesday, September 26.

Bricklayers at Jersey City, under their recent agreement, now work eight hours at forty-five cents per hour.

Delegate William Snow says the pavers and ramblers are all employed, with work enough to keep them going till the fall.

The twenty-first annual conference of the New Jersey Federation of Trade and Labor Unions will meet at Orange on August 21.

The Hatters' Union has appointed a committee having for its purpose the unionizing of all non-union hat factories in the country.

The Colorado State Federation of Labor, by a vote of sixty-eight to thirteen, declined to ally that body with the Socialist Labor party.

Winnipeg, Man., is the latest city in the Northwest to form a Building Trades Council, all branches of the industry being fully represented.

Typographical Union, No. 10, meets August 6, when measures to bring the union label more prominently before the public will be acted upon.

The Journeymen Barbers' Union is making rapid progress, adding new members at each meeting. The five-cent shops will soon be a thing of the past.

The Granite Cutters' National Union has decided to remove the headquarters of the organization from Baltimore to Boston. The change will be made in August.

No settlement has yet been reached in the great strike of cigarmakers at Key West. Over 4,000 men are involved in the controversy. The men are not organized.

It is claimed that all cigars now manufactured in the factories at Nashville, Tenn., bear the union label; in other words, that there is not a non-union plant in the city.

Since November 15, 1898, through the efforts of organized labor in enforcing the State factory laws, nearly 1,000 children have been taken out of the factories of Wisconsin.

The Iron Molders' Union will have its annual outing at Fern Grove next month, and those who accompany President Reichenwald and his men will certainly have a good time.

The pattern makers' strike for the shorter work day in New York is terminating satisfactorily to the men, the greater portion of whom are now working under the new rule.

The Iron Molders' International Union at its recent general convention at Indianapolis voted down the proposition to establish a "home" for disabled and superannuated members.

A cotton mill lye-cum movement has been inaugurated at Columbus, Ga. The object is to encourage a higher educational standard among the operatives of the Southern cotton mills.

The finest "labor temple" in the world is in Paris, France. It was built in 1892, and cost the city \$400,000. Eighty-two trades and organizations have meeting places and offices under its roof, for which a light nominal rental is paid.

The Municipal Council appropriates \$10,000 annually for its maintenance, and the civil authorities agree it has done much good in promoting the well being of the working classes.

All the co-operative glass plants of the United States have closed down. Until the wage scale is signed for the next "fire," and the time set for resuming, no glassware will be made in these establishments.

The Building Trades Council and Central Trades and Labor Union of St. Louis have agreed to donate the entire profits of the Labor day celebration to the families of the imprisoned miners at Wardner, Idaho.

A five-day law for union compositors and members of the International Typographical Union will in all probability be one of the live propositions that will be considered at the coming convention at Detroit.

Two hundred and fifty charters have been issued by the American Federation of Labor thus far this year, and the outlook for the next few months is still more encouraging. Last year 205 charters were issued.

The average daily loss in circulation of the Chicago Record for the past five months, during which it has been a non-union shop, was 96,222. This will be doubled if union men everywhere only do their duty.

The letter of Secretary Young to the unions that have withdrawn from the Central Labor Union was dignified and courteous. Those who have the interests of labor really at heart will favor complying with his request.

The Swiss Government is attempting to reduce to a minimum the dangers to health in factories where the use of lead is necessary by strict supervision and by the observance of instructions to workmen as drawn up by the Government for their guidance.

Joe Hehenan is enthusiastic over the situation of the carpenters. Every union carpenter in this city is at present employed, and additions are made to the union roll at each meeting. The carpenters are awakening from the lethargy that has hung over them.

The retail clerks in Washington and other large Eastern cities are meeting with great success in their demands for shorter hours. Meetings are being held, where business men and employers are invited to speak in favor of united action in the early closing movement.

The Chattanooga Enquirer says that the outlook for organized labor has not been so good in that city for years. Old unions are becoming more closely affiliated and new ones are forming. Small differences are disappearing and a closing up of the ranks is indicative of good results.

Victor Lawson, of the Chicago News and Record, is resorting to all manner of subterfuges to sustain the circulation of his rat papers, but without avail. His agents are being chased out of town after town. Have nothing to do with his papers till they carry the Allied Printing Trades label.

The San Francisco Labor Council has drafted a circular letter warning Italian workmen against emigrating to the Hawaiian Islands owing to the slave conditions of labor existing in that territory. The letter will be forwarded to the King of Italy, the Pope, the radical statesmen, the press and labor organizations of that country.

Suit recently filed by the Allied Printing Trades Council of St. Paul to restrain H. C. Whittlesey and John E. Dempsey from using the union label was decided by Judge Otis in favor of the council. The court decided that as the defendants did not employ members of the various unions affiliated with the council they were not entitled to use the label.

Arrangements are being made for the foundation of a large colony on the co-operative plan on the shores of Lake Erie, near Toledo. The scheme embraces the building of a large commercial town, where all the profits arising from trade are to be equally divided among the producers, somewhat after the method carried on for many years at Tell City, Indiana.

President James McGill returned Saturday from his trip through the State, and reports that much progress has been made toward the formation of the State Federation of Labor. A convention will be called to meet at Frankfort some time this fall, when the State Federation will be organized and officers elected. This will enable the working people to bring united pressure to bear upon the Legislature relative to needed labor legislation this winter. Already the unions of this city, Lexington, Paducah, Henderson, Owensboro, Covington and Newport have agreed to send delegates, which assures the success of the undertaking. This State Federation will wield great power.

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CHICKENS FROM IRELAND.

George Barnett, of this city, this week received from Ireland a fine pair of game chickens, of the frizzly variety, one of the most noted in that country. They were the gift of his uncle, George Barnett, and came from the Devil's Bitt, County Tipperary. The rooster stands three feet and the hen two and one-half feet high.

DESERVED PROMOTION.

Tim O'Leary, a well known insurance solicitor and popular Hibernian, for some time past with the Western and Southern Life Insurance Company, has been promoted to the position of Assistant Superintendent for this district. Many would like to see him ascend to the Presidency.

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